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Sir:

Applicant's attorney received an Office Action mailed April 1, 2003 (Paper No. 4) in the above-identified application. However, the Examiner did not consider the Preliminary Amendment which we filed by facsimile on May 6, 2002, copy enclosed.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner issue a new Office Action in view of the Preliminary Amendment and reset the statutory period to respond to begin with the mailing date of such action.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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